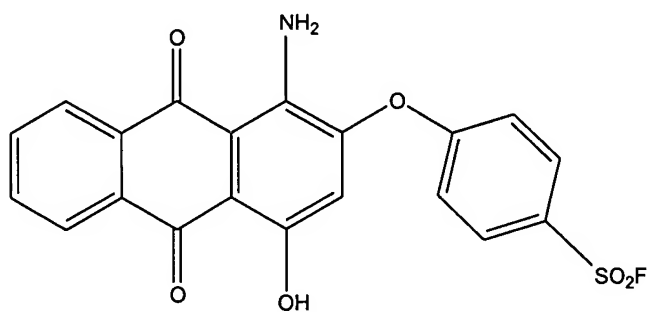


**COMPLETE LISTING OF CLAIMS**  
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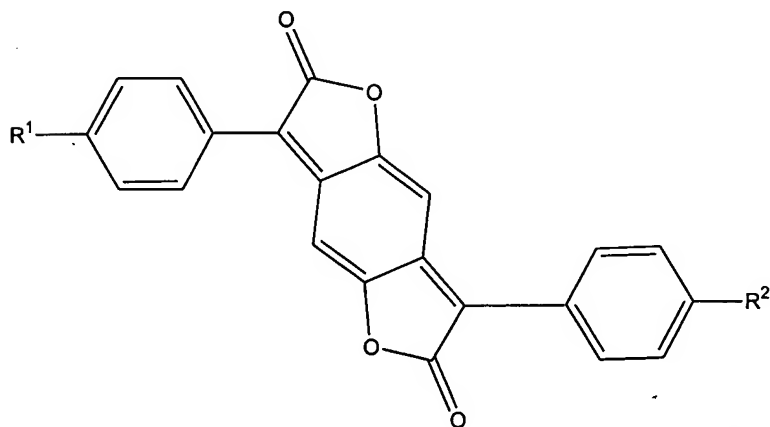
Claims 1-9 (Cancelled)

Claim 10. (New) Dye mixture comprising at least one dye of the formula (I)



(I)

and one or more of the formula (II)



(II)

wherein

$\text{R}^1$  and  $\text{R}^2$  are independently hydrogen,  $\text{OR}^3$  or  $\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_n \text{R}^4$ ,

in which  $n$  is 1 to 6

$\text{R}^3$  is alkyl or alkenyl each of which is optionally substituted by a unsubstituted or a substituted saturated or unsaturated 5-, 6-, or 7-membered heterocyclic or homocyclic

residue;

$R^4$  is a  $-OR^5$  or  $-COR^6$  wherein

$R^5$  is hydrogen for n more than 1, alkyl for n more than 1, alkenyl, aryl, alkoxyalkyl, aryloxyalkyl, carbonylalkyl, carbonylalkenyl, carbonylaryl, carbonylalkoxyalkyl or carbonylaryloxyalkyl;

$R^6$  is alkoxy, alkenyloxy, aryloxy, arylalkoxy, aryloxyalkoxy, alkenyloxyalkyloxy or alkoxyalkoxy.

11. (New) The dye mixture according to claim 10, wherein  $R^2$  is  $O(CH_2)_nR^4$ ,

in which n is 1 to 6

$R^4$  is  $-OR^5$  or  $-COR^6$  wherein

$R^5$  is hydrogen for n more than 1, alkyl for n more than 1, alkenyl, aryl, alkoxyalkyl, aryloxyalkyl, carbonylalkyl, carbonylalkenyl, carbonylaryl, carbonylalkoxyalkyl or carbonylaryloxyalkyl;

$R^6$  is alkoxy, alkenyloxy, aryloxy, arylalkoxy, aryloxyalkoxy, alkenyloxyalkyloxy or alkoxyalkoxy.

12. (New) The dye mixture according to claim 11, wherein  $R^4$  is  $-COR^6$  wherein  $R^6$  is aryloxyalkoxy, alkenyloxyalkyloxy or alkoxyalkoxy.

13. (New) The dye mixture according to claim 10, wherein the ratio by weight of dye (I) : dye (II) is from 5 to 95 : 95 to 5.

14. (New) The dye mixture according to claim 12, wherein the ratio by weight of dye (I) : dye (II) is from 75 to 90 : 25 to 10.

15. (New) The dye mixture according to claim 10, wherein two or three of the dyes of the formula II are used.
16. (New) The dye mixture according to claim 10, wherein one or two of the dyes of the formula II are used.
17. (New) A process for the preparation of the dye mixture according to claim 10, comprising mixing the dye components.
18. (New) A composition comprising the dye mixture according to claim 10, and at least one dispersing agent, surfactant or wetting agent.
19. (New) A process for coloring a synthetic textile material or fibre blend thereof, which comprises applying to said synthetic textile material or said fibre blend the dye mixture according to claim 10.
20. (New) The process according to claim 19, wherein the synthetic material or fibre blend thereof is a polyester, polyester-cellulose, polyester-wool, polyester-polyurethane, or polyester-nylon blend.
21. (New) The dye mixture as claimed in claim 10, wherein  $R^1$  or  $R^2$  is H.
22. (New) The dye mixture as claimed in claim 10, wherein  $R^1$  or  $R^2$  is H and the  $R^1$  or  $R^2$  that is not H is a  $-O(CH_2)_n R^4$ .
23. (New) The dye mixture as claimed in claim 22, wherein the  $R^1$  or  $R^2$  that is not H is  $CH_3CH_2O(CH_2)_2OCOCH_2O-$  or  $CH_3O(CH_2)_xOCOCH_2O$  wherein x is 1 or 2.

24. (New) The dye mixture as claimed in claim 10, wherein the R<sup>1</sup> or R<sup>2</sup> is -O(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>3</sub> or -OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>3</sub>.